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Victoria, B. C., April 30th, 1887. apr30-6m

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MILLER & HUNTER
Have just received a car load of GURNEY'S CELEBRATED STOVES AND RANGES, which we are prepared to sell at ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.
Call Early and secure your choice from TWO HUNDRED of the FINEST STOVES in the Province.
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WANTS.

WANTED—A man to take charge of a Grocery Store. Apply to C. E. WIGHTMAN, Cor. Fort and Douglas Streets.
Victoria, B. C., June 18th, 1887. je19-1m

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SPECIAL SUMMER CLASSES WILL BE opened on MONDAY, July 18th, and continue until August 26th. This will be an excellent opportunity for former pupils and others to receive instructions in special subjects. je28-1m

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The Most Comfortable Brace.
NO STRAIN ON BUTTONS OR SHOULDERS.
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Whoever returns the same if found to THE COLONIST office will be rewarded. je24-tf

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Smoke the Celebrated
GLADSTONE
CIGARS —AND— CIGARS
BLACK AND TAN.
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French Goods
HAVE ARRIVED.
Bargains in Latest Style Hats and Bonnets.
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Jubilee Entertainme't
The Ladies of ST. JOHN'S GUILD will hold on the
12th and 13th of JULY
in the ROLLER SKATING RINK, YATES STREET, a
FOREST FAIR
to be followed by a
GRAND PAPER CARNIVAL.
Ice Cream, Strawberries and various other Refreshments will be provided.
Useful and Fancy Articles of every description, Rare Flowers and Growing Plants will be offered for sale.
A BAND OF MUSIC will be in attendance during both days. je30-td

MILLINERY BUSINESS
FOR SALE.
A WELL established Millinery Business with a fully assorted Stock in a good location. Enquire at C. STROUSS & CO., Wharf Street.
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WANTED—Second hand Boat—Sailing and Rowing. Also Light Wagon. Apply A. B. C., Box 240.
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THE UNDERSIGNED WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE for any debts by their sons under any circumstances.
MRS. J. CROWTHER.
MR. J. CROWTHER.
If George Thomas Crowther needs anything he must come and get it, but while he is away we will not be responsible for his debts. jul5-1w

TEACHER WANTED.
A FEMALE TEACHER WANTED FOR Cowichan School. Duties to commence on the first of August. Applications for the position will be received by the undersigned—addressed to Koksilah Station—up to 12 o'clock, noon, of the 22nd instant.
JAMES MEARNS, Sec'y.
Koksilah Station, Cowichan, July 4th, 1887. jul5-2w

FROM LONDON
—FOR—
VICTORIA
AND VANCOUVER
(if sufficient inducement is offered.)
Barque "FREDERICK"
A A 1 at Lloyd's, 800 Tons Register,
TO SAIL ABOUT 20th of JULY
WITHOUT FAIL.
Great part of cargo engaged.
Orders sent before 25th June will be in time for this vessel.
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Unlocks all the clogged avenues of the Bowels, Kidneys and Liver, carrying off gradually without weakening the system, all the impurities and foul humors of the secretions; at the same time Correcting Acidity of the Stomach, curing Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Headaches, Dizziness, Heartburn, Constipation, Dryness of the Skin, Dropsy, Dimness of Vision, Jaundice, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Fluttering of the Heart, Nervousness, and General Debility; all these and many other similar Complaints yield to the happy influence of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.
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A LADY DESIRES A FEW PUPILS FOR Music; practical and thoroughly experienced teacher; certificated Trinity College, London, Eng. First class references. Terms—$5 per month. MISS GENN.
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July 3rd, 1887. jul3-tf

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Hamley Building, Cor. of Government and Broughton Streets.
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CARD OF THANKS.
THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO TENDER Mr. Leask, the Chief Engineer and Fire Department and neighbors, for their timely help at the fire this morning.
WM. GRIMM.
Victoria, June 30th, 1887. jul1-2t

FIREWORKS
just Arrived at
H. GRIBBLE'S, - Government Street.
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NOTICE.
B. C. ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY.
IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE REGULAR meeting of the Society happening on the evening of the 1st July, (Dominion Day) members are hereby notified that the meeting is postponed until Friday evening, 8th instant, at 8 o'clock. By order,
M. W. T. DRAKE, President.
Victoria, June 29th, 1887. je30

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OCCIDENTAL HOTEL.
Change of Business.
THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING DISPOSED of the the good-will and business of the Occidental Hotel to Mr. William Croft, desires to than the public for the generous patronage bestowed upon him, and to request a continuance of the same to his successor.
All accounts to date to be paid to the undersigned, who will also settle outstanding bills to date. JOSEPH BAYLEY.
Victoria, June 20th, 1887.
Having assumed the proprietorship of the Occidental Hotel, corner of Wharf and Johnson streets, I beg to notify my friends and the general public that I will endeavor to keep the business up to a high standard of excellence, and solicit your patronage. WILLIAM CROFT.
Victoria, June 20, 1887. je21-5td-1tw

FOR AULD LANG SYNE.

Annual Gathering of the Caledonian Society.

Nearly Two Thousand People Present During the Afternoon.

List of Events on the Programme and the Winners—A Successful Day Closed with Fireworks and Dancing.

The annual picnic and games of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society have been held for many years on the 4th July, the great American celebration day, and the event has always been regarded as the most important of the kind of the year. It has afforded an opportunity for the sons of auld Scotia to gather together for pleasure and to perpetuate the games and feats of strength instituted by their forefathers; and it has also furnished a means whereby our many American citizens might celebrate the anniversary of the declaration of independence. The jubilee celebration occupied the attention and funds of our citizens this year to a large extent, and it might have been thought that the Scottish gathering would have been overshadowed. However, as the afternoon advanced yesterday, the crowds of people that came pouring in augured favorably, and shortly after the games commenced there must have been in the neighborhood of two thousand people on the ground, among whom were the youth and beauty of Victoria. Scattered through the crowd were a few adults and a number of children in the Highland dress of various clans. The arrangements of the committee were perfect in every respect. The arena in which the games were to take place was fenced in, and at equal distances the national flags on short poles floated, strung from which were small banners. A seat ran around the entire distance, and the grand stand against the Agricultural hall, and raised seats at two other sides of the grounds, provided ample seating capacity. From the building and the high fence surrounding the grounds floated a profusion of bunting, and with the large gathering of people the scene presented was both lively and picturesque.

For the refreshment of the inner man there were several booths where an excellent lunch could be had and where iced temperance drinks were dispensed, while in the building up stairs the cup that cheers was to be had.

In the absence of Captain John Irving, president, at Ottawa, Mr. Wm. Lorimer, vice-president of the society, did the honors of the occasion in the committee tent, and dispensed the hospitality of the society in a generous and genial manner.

The event was enlivened by music from the Queen City band, the members of which evidence constant progress in proficiency. They appeared in their new uniforms, a blue serge with white gold stripe, and were headed by a magnificently costumed drum major.

The national music was stirringly given by the piper of the society, David Kennedy, assisted by Piper Forrest from Cowichan. At one stage of the proceedings the two pipers and Messrs. Donald McKay, Jamie Russell and Thos. F. Sinclair, attired in full Highland dress, marched through the grounds to the tune of "The Campbells are Comin'."

Among those present it would be invidious to particularize. The most prominent professional and business men appearing among the throng.

Following are the members of the various committees:

Committee of Management—Captain John Irving, President; William Lorimer and John Robertson, Vice-Presidents; Donald McKay, Thomas Russell, James Hutcheson, R. P. Rithet, A B Gray, John Ross, John Boyd, John Grant, M. P. P., George Mann, A J Smith, Wm Scott, W H Mason, J L Anderson, Robt. Mitchell, A. Grieve, A. Allan, George Webb, George Bishop, Jno Orr, Peter Steele, W. A. Robertson, J G Geddes, James Burns, James McArthur, A. B. Murray, D. R. Munro, James Russell.

Judges of Games—James Burns, John Russell, Alex. McLean, R. E. Jackson, A. B. Gray, Jas. Hutcheson, Alex. Allan, James Crawford, W. A. Robertson.

Reception Committee—Capt. John Irving, P. John Robertson, Thos. Russell, A. J. Smith, John Grant, J. G. Geddes, R. P. Rithet, D. McKay, D. R. Munro.

Starters—Thomas Russell and William Lorimer.

Floor Managers—George Bishop, John Orr and Wm. Scott.

Piper of the Society—David Kennedy.

Rangers—George Webb and J. L. Anderson.

Gate Keepers—Hugh McKenzie, A. Grieve and John Ross.

Shortly after one o'clock the events arranged for commenced, City Treasurer Russell acting as starter in his usual impartial and acceptable style. Following is the list of the games with the names of the winners:

Running high jump—1st, A. Bell, 4ft 10½in; 2nd, C. H. Tite and E. A. Pauline, tie.

Running long jump—1st, A. Shaw, 17ft 9in; 2nd, W. Duck, 17ft 6in.

Hop, step and jump—1st, Shaw, 43ft 1in; 2nd, Gowan, 40ft 4in.

Foot race, 3 miles—In this there were four entries, and for the first three rounds all kept well together, but after that two of the men began to flag and the race was practically left in the hands of W. Paine and R. Fawcett, the latter keeping close upon Paine's heels, until the last mile when with a bound Paine redoubled his efforts and dashed away, coming in just one lap ahead. The race was loudly applauded and considering the distance Paine deserves great praise for his powers of endurance which were obtained by hard exercise.

Foot race for boys under fifteen, handicapped—1st, J. T. Braden; 2nd, Ed. Dougherty; 3rd, Percy Bradley.

Foot race for girls under fifteen, handicapped—1st, Edith King; 2nd, Louisa Barnswell; 3rd Ada Barnswell. In this race there were about sixteen competitors and considerable amusement was caused by the frantic endeavors made by each to obtain first place.

Foot race for boys under ten, handicapped—In this race no less than 40 little fellows took part, and their excitement was great at the start, so much so that the lookers on were kept in roars of laughter. They got away finally and the following won: 1st, Copeland; 2nd, Hepworth; 3rd, Mansell.

Half-mile race—1st, Bell; 2nd, Fawcett.

Half-mile navy race—1st, Crelier; 2nd, Buckland.

Foot race for girls under ten, handicapped—1st, Gertrude King; 2nd, Isabel Milne; 3rd, Maggie Dougherty.

Tug of war—As usual, the tug was between civilians and sailors, and great interest was taken as several of our own local heavy weights participated. The result was not very gratifying to them, as the sailors, although they had hard work in the first pull, with one strong tug on the second, pulled our boys clear across the line with comparative ease.

Hurdle race, 300 yards—1st, Bell; 2nd, Shore.

Throwing the heavy hammer—1st, McKenzie, 66 feet ½ in.; 2nd, John Earsman, 65 feet ½ in.

Putting heavy shot—1st, McKenzie, 33 feet 1-5 in.; 2nd, Earsman, 31 feet ½ in.

One mile navy race—1st, Cain; 2nd, Harrison.

There being no entries for the barrel race and wrestling match they were omitted from the sports.

DANCING.

Highland fling—Donald McKay. The dancing was excellent in this, and several were of the opinion that Mr. McKay should not have obtained the prize; but he was entitled to it nevertheless, as his dancing was really remarkable considering his age.

The Sailor's hornpipe was strongly contested for, and the prize eventually fell to a sailor named Cain.

The sword dance was very well contested for, and the prize was carried off by A. Carmichael, whose grace and complete style was loudly applauded.

HIGHLAND COSTUMES.

The first prize for the best dressed boy was awarded to Charles J. Sheppard, as was the prize for best dressed girl to Rachel S. Sheppard. Mr. Donald McKay's little boy took the second prize. The children were well dressed and special praise is due Sergeant Sheppard for his good taste, shown in the beautiful Scotch costumes which adorned his children.

TOMBOLA PRIZES.

The following numbers of tickets in the tombola, held by ladies, won handsome prizes: 400, 764, 675, 789, 215, 226, 407, 513 and 391. Of these numbers only 400 and 407 were answered.

IN THE EVENING.

The interior of the building was handsomely decorated with flags and evergreens, the former being placed all around the panelling between the two floors and wound round the columns, evergreens being placed above. In the centre of the hall was a lovely floral crown, composed of a variety of beautiful flowers, and at either end of the decorations were the banners of the society. The floor for dancing was in splendid condition, and that part apportioned for the dancers was fenced off. The grounds and building were lighted with the electric light under superintendence of Mr. McMicking, power being supplied by Jumbo. When night drew its mantle of darkness over the scene, fireworks were set of in abundance, much to the delight of all.

In the interior there was a great throng of dancers, who whiled away the hours far into the morning to the inspiring music of the Queen City band.

Taken as a whole the gathering was a great success in every particular, and our Scotch friends, and especially those connected with the arranging and carrying out of the programme, are to be highly congratulated with the success that has crowned their efforts. They provided a day of pleasure and interest, and have undoubtedly reaped a large and deserved benefit therefrom.

NOTES.

Messrs. Adam Innes and T. F. Sinclair represented the New Westminster society.

About 3 o'clock in the afternoon the 14-year-old son of Mrs. Astrico fainted and was unconscious for some time. He was taken to his parents' home and attended by Dr. J. D. Helmcken, who soon brought the youngster to his proper senses.

Two bloods, who had imbibed a little too freely at Agricultural Hall last night, succeeded in having the handcuffs ornamenting them for some time, when they were released. The offending party got what he deserved—a good licking, while both will put in an appearance at the police court this morning. The exhibition they made of themselves in the gallery, where were many ladies and children, was disgraceful. The "cops" were right on hand.

Another and more serious affair took place about 8 o'clock in the evening, when a drunken individual attacked a stalwart man, well-known and feared for his strength throughout the province. The drunk evidently found that he had fallen against something hard, for his face a few minutes later was so badly beaten as to be almost unrecognizable. It was remarked that "that fellow had been aching for that all day."

THE ST. STEPHEN.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 1.—Lieutenant George M. Stoney, of the navy, who achieved a reputation as an Arctic explorer, assumed charge of the hydrographic office in this city this morning. The detail is for three years.

Lieutenant Milton's administration of affairs has been satisfactory and efficient from the time he established the office, three years ago. He will probably be ordered east. The rules of the department do not permit of the same officer being kept at one station longer than three years. Lieutenant Milton has just completed his annual report to the chief hydrogapher. The extraordinary number of disasters during the year and the frightful loss of life and property on the Vancouver coast and off Cape Flattery are made the subject of a special section. The disasters occurred mainly during heavy southwest and southeast gales, and some of them, it is thought, were due to captain's avoidance of the Vancouver coast. Sailing directions for Clayoquot and Barclay sounds should be provided, and property might be saved. During the storm of April 1st bark Elsinor found a refuge in Barclay Sound, while the St. Stephen, not knowing the coast, foundered with all hands. The report closes with a tabulated statement of the routine work of the year.

Enjoy Life.
What a truly beautiful world we live in! Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of means of enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health; but how often do the majority of people feel like giving it up disheartened, discouraged and worn out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof, that *Green's August Flower*, will make them free from disease, as when born. Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint are the direct causes of seventy-five per cent. of such maladies as Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Costiveness, Nervous Prostration, Dizziness of the Head, Palpitation of the Heart, and other distressing symptoms. Three doses of *August Flower* will prove its wonderful effect. Sample bottles, 10 cents. Try it. dw

INDEPENDENCE DAY.

Observed Across the Sound by a Grand Celebration.

Five Hundred Victorians Enjoy the Hospitality of Tacoma.

Sir Wm. Wiseman the Lion of the Day—The Portland's Again Defeat the Seattle Baseball Nine—Splendid Illumination and Fireworks.

(Special to THE COLONIST.)

TACOMA, July 4.—Sir William Wiseman was the lion of the occasion at the big joint celebration here to-day. He spoke at the grand stand to upwards of five thousand people, saying that himself and his people had been received as Englishmen are always received in America—with open arms. H. M. S. Caroline lay in the harbor and fired a salute while the ceremonies were going on. Ten thousand strangers are in the city, five hundred are from Victoria. The city is buried in a forest of flags and cedar boughs and an immense triumphal arch spans Pacific avenue. The day was perfect. The shipping in the harbor and all the business houses and residences are profusely decorated. The parade in five grand divisions moved to the grand stand and pavilion which occupied a commanding site on the bluff 200 feet above the Sound with Mount Tacoma on the right and the Olympic range to the left. Two of the divisions were composed of visitors and Indians from the neighboring reservation. Hon. Elwood Evans delivered the oration. Miss Florence Molinelli, the young actress, read the declaration of independence and a grand orchestra and chorus, led by ex-Lieut. Governor Laughton, sang "The Star Spangled Banner." Governor Semple presided. Admiral Wiseman was one of the honorary guests. After the parade and services, the firemen's tournament and Indian canoe races occurred between the British Columbia and territory Indians; the Victoria Indians won the race. In the evening there was a grand illumination of the city, fireworks and sending up of fire balloons. The festivities will continue for three days.

SEATTLE, July 4.—The day passed off nicely, the parade taking place at 11 a.m., was composed of representations of all the trades of the city. The address at the University grounds by Hon. John R. Kinnear was well received. The sloop race in the bay was won by the Lookout. The fireworks in the evening closed the day's programme. The utmost good order prevailed, and notwithstanding a great many people went to Tacoma, the town is crowded. The game of baseball played at the race-track this afternoon between the Portland and Seattle nines resulted in a victory for the Portlands by a score of 9 to 7, a tenth inning being necessary to decide the game. The day has been a perfect one, only one accident occurred from the use of fireworks, and that is thought not serious.

A DRUNKEN EMPEROR.

The Czar of Russia Going Fast to the Bad—A Hopeless and Helpless Sot.

LONDON, June 22.—A British officer, who recently paid a visit to Russia, tells a startling story of the mental and physical condition of the czar in accounting for the erratic foreign policy of Russia. Alexander III., he says, shortly after the assassination of his father, had recourse to stimulants in order to nerve himself sufficiently to meet the real and imaginary dangers which beset him and the habit rapidly became one of necessity rather than choice. From this point began what would have been to a man in private life his downward career, but the divinity that erects and maintains a well-kept and ever green hedge around the sovereign also dulls the senses of his subjects to indifference as to whether he is a drunkard or not.

This, however, the czar of Russia is; a hopeless and ofttimes helpless sot. Among those nearest to him it is well known, but never mentioned except in whispers, that he has several times suffered from that most frightful of all species of insanity, delirium tremens, and the narrator alleges, his cruelty to those who were so unfortunate as to come under his hand upon those occasions would have appealed to the finer sensibilities of the king of Dahomey and caused that fiendish monarch to shed tears of compassion.

THE CZAR'S FAVORITE TIPPLE.

In his lucid intervals he is reasonable and even sagacious, but when under the influence of champagne or brandy, which two liquors most delight the imperial palate, not even his ministers, and least of all his wife and children, can restrain his tendency to imperil his personal safety by exposing himself to the attacks of secret foes in his ungovernable recklessness.

It is told of this imperial maniac that on one occasion M. De Giers was driven from the czar's presence with language unfit to be heard in the lowest haunts of infamy, after having been summoned by his sovereign to report upon matters affecting Russia's foreign policy, and that the czar's conduct so outraged M. De Giers that he was only induced to retain his office at the earnest entreaty of friends and upon the czar's subsequent apology.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

There is an epidemic of measles raging in Montreal.

The Chicago pool rooms have been ordered closed.

The Central American states are enjoying an era of prosperity.

General Lawton, United States minister to Austria, has arrived at Vienna.

The city council of Tacoma have moved into new and commodious quarters.

The reunion of veterans of both American armies at Gettysburg on Friday was a grand affair.

Several heavy seizures of smuggled cigars have been made from the steamer Newbern in San Francisco.

L. Harper and Benjamin Hopkins, of the defunct Fidelity Bank at Cincinnati, have been incarcerated in jail.

Parnell has issued an urgent whip, calling upon all nationalist members to be present in the commons to-day.

The forthcoming marriage of the Emperor of China is officially announced. The festivities will cost £1,000,000.

The Seattle baseball club was badly beaten at Seattle on Saturday by the Portland nine by a score of 31 to 10.

Commander Charles Lestrange, of the British dispatch boat Surprise, is missing from his vessel at Marseilles, France.

General Sherman says the rebel flag question is likely to play an important part in the next presidential campaign.

The coming conclave of the Rabbi's of the Jewish church of America will begin its celebration in Pittsburg on Friday.

Lord Hartington has decided that the liberal-unionist conference next week shall devote itself solely to consideration of the land bill.

Subscriptions for the first 10,000 marks of the new imperial loan will be opened July 5th at all the great banks of the German empire.

Boulanger, the French general, has asked for a holiday before joining the army corps, to the command of which he has been appointed.

Prince Ferdinand, of Saxe-Coburg, is in London to consult Lord Salisbury and agree on the subject of his candidacy for the Bulgarian throne.

A frightful accident occurred at Kingston, Ontario, Friday, in connection with the confederation celebration. A rocket struck Jos. M. Thompson and nearly decapitated his head.

During the temporary absence of Mrs. August Belder, of Mount Washington, Pittsburg, Saturday, three of her children were fatally burned by an explosion of a can of coal oil.

The examination has been made of the accounts of the late Levi Bacon, financial clerk of the interior department, Washington, who died on the 22nd ult., and reveals a deficiency of $28,000.

The letters of King Milan, of Servia, to Queen Natalie, are returned unopened to him. It is reported that the queen will seek advice from the czar before consenting to allow the king to obtain a divorce from her.

At the Windsor July meeting the Athens plate, five furlongs, for two-year-olds, was won by E. Jones' colt Admiral Benbow, Weaver's filly Variety second, J. Porter's filly Mon Droit, third. Lord Calthorpe's colt Toscano and Chidwick's colt Craven, also ran.

The section of growth is at last removed from the throat of the German crown prince. The emperor sent Prof. Virchow from Berlin for an examination. The latter has just made a thoroughly satisfactory report, which has delighted the emperor and prince.

The Right Hon. Viscount of Kilcourie, ex-vice chamberlain, and at present a liberal member of the house of commons for South Somersetshire, is arranging to send a deputation of English laborers to Ireland to investigate for themselves the condition of Irish laborers, and report the truth as a deputation to the laborers of Great Britain.

NOT A LUTHER.

CHICAGO, June 25.—The Rev. Father McGlynn, who arrived in this city to-day, speaking of the alleged interview with him in Buffalo, in which he is made to call himself the Martin Luther of the nineteenth century, said: "What appeared in the Chicago paper is simply a condensation of an interview with a newspaper correspondent in Buffalo. The condensation is simply of truth to sensationalism. It is simply a mean outrage. I would never, never acknowledge myself to be the Martin Luther of the nineteenth century. I could not and would not if I could do such a thing. In one sense it would be an exhibition of outrageous cheek to think that I could produce such a revolution as Luther produced. Besides I know no man less inclined than I or having less desire to do what Martin Luther did. For me to attempt it I would be a traitor to what I cheerfully confess I hold most dear and precious and sacred, namely, the spiritual doctrines and holy sacredness of the Catholic church.

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IN CONTEMPT.

Our esteemed morning contemporary intimates that the late publisher of this journal has made an appeal for public sympathy. Our e. m. c. is again wrong. The defendant in the late libel suit has put in no plea for public sympathy. He neither asks nor deserves it. Neither does he propose to pass 'round the hat and take up a collection, as our contemporary did when he was fined $250 for assailing the reputation of a supreme court judge. But what he does claim is that the *Standard* has laid itself open to serious consequences by attempting to prejudice a case which is still before the courts and which may be tried again by a jury. As to what may be public sentiment, that is entirely foreign to the issue. We all know that the *Standard* publisher has put his foot (and it's a pretty big one too) into it again, and that in the course of a few days he may have an opportunity afforded him of taking up another collection.

SPIRITUALISM.

A few years ago an ardent spiritualist, Mr. Henry Seybert, presented the university of Pennsylvania with the sum of $60,000 to found a chair of philosophy on condition that the faculty should appoint a commission to investigate spiritualism. He fondly believed that the system would stand the test of scientific investigation. The commission was appointed, composed of professors of the university and outside scientists, one of the former being Dr. Leidy, an eminent biologist. The report has been issued in the form of a volume of 160 pages. The conclusions reached by the experts are decidedly unfavorable to spiritualism as taught and believed by many. They found that a professional juggler could beat the slate-writing mediums at their own game; the spiritual photographers wisely declined to furnish examples of their operations, and the materializing mediums—those who pretend to summon hands and even bodies from the spirit world—were found to be "humbugs." The so-called materialization was found to be a trick easily performed. And yet this extreme form of unadulterated silliness has its poor dupes all the world over, even in this city.

THE COMING FIGHT.

One of our eastern exchanges contains the following:

A very sad case of suicide from despondency happened this forenoon at about 9 o'clock.

Thomas Root, a quiet, sober and industrious man, 38 years old, and living with his wife and five children at No. 79 Sanguinet street, was found dead in his cellar, his throat cut from ear to ear and a razor in his right hand. Root had been working at Messrs Chas. Garth & Co.'s works, on Craig street, for the last 18 years and earned $8.70 per week. Last Saturday he came home with only $4 instead of $8, as one-half of his wages had been seized by a bailiff at the instance of J. J. Robillard, a grocer, at 458 Dorchester street, for a bill owing a few weeks. At the same time his wife, only seven days confined, required his care and several expenses which the man could not meet.

Last evening Root, for the first time after its birth, kissed his babe and said: "Poor baby, you will never know who was your father!" Mrs. Root then told Mrs. Finn, a neighbor, that her husband had talked of poisoning himself, and Mrs. Finn told him that no one had a right to take the life which God had given. "But there are circumstances that craze a man," answered the unfortunate man. This morning Root went down stairs, after a sleepless night, ostensibly to chop wood in the cellar. As he stayed away a long time, Mrs. Root became anxious and sent her eldest daughter (9 years) to the cellar. When the child came to the cellar she heard a gurgling and stooping down found the body of her father lying on its face, blood oozing out of his mouth and a ghastly cut in his throat. Mr. Finn, who met the child wearily dragging its way upstairs, reported the case at the central station. Sergeants Legget and Lapierre went to the house with Dr. Bouchard and found the body as the girl had described it. The coroner was notified. Mrs. Root cannot as yet realize the fact, and is still in hopes that her husband only went to work and will return this evening. The deceased leaves his wife and five children in absolute poverty.

And this in Montreal, the chief commercial centre of trade in Canada and in the nineteenth century! Thomas Root, "a quiet, sober and industrious man" with a wife and five children commits suicide through despondency. Little wonder he did. He lived on the magnificent salary of $8.70 per week and upon this bountiful sum was expected to keep a wife and five children. No wonder that the fight between Labor and Capital is assuming such vast proportions. No wonder that the wild theories of Henry George and his once blameless coadjutor, Dr. McGlynn, are taking root and appealing to the very heart of the common people—the toilers. Here was a case in this fair Canada of ours where one of God's poor brought down upon himself the everlasting curse because his circumstances had "crazed" him. He could not meet the expenses consequent upon his wife's illness; his largess of $8.70 per week was not more than sufficient to feed his babes. As if to add insult to injury his employer, so a reporter says, was

"Full of praise for the deceased, and gives him a character of a hard working and always temperate man."

And so the story ends! He worked in the one establishment for eighteen years, was a good and faithful servant, his employers eulogize him after his death when they should have paid him decently before, and he kept a family on the pittance liberally bestowed upon him by those for whom he honestly labored of $8.70 a week. The recurrence of such cases as this will make that battle of the future, the fight between Labor and Capital, whose dark shadow is even now perceptible in the horizon of the world's life, short, sharp and decisive and Right shall prevail over Might.

GERMANY AND THE ALL-CANADIAN ROUTE.

A commotion has been caused in commercial circles throughout Canada over the announcement that a syndicate of German bankers are endeavoring to secure control of the Intercolonial railway, owned by the government, and the North Shore railway, owned by the Canadian Pacific railway, running from Halifax to Montreal, and that this is to be followed by placing a fast line of German steamers on the Pacific ocean between Australia, China and Japan. This would secure to Germany additional commerce created by this new route, and would, in case of eastern war complications, afford that country's commerce an alternate and safer route than *via* the Suez Canal. Professor Stein, the eminent political economist, in a pamphlet just issued in Berlin, has stimulated the interest of German financiers in this new route.—*Financial News.*

It is stated in Montreal that a strong German syndicate has been formed to control the business from China and Japan *via* the Canadian Pacific railway, and that the Norddeutscher Lloyd steamship company proposes establishing a line of steamers on the Pacific ocean. The company offers to place a line of six powerful steamers on both the Pacific and the Atlantic oceans. It is not yet known whether the Canadian Pacific railway will accept this offer.—*Reuter.*

Commenting on this intelligence the *St. James' Gazette* says: "The Germans certainly seem to be carrying the war of trade competition into the enemy's country vigorously. It is reported from Ottawa that a strong German syndicate has been formed to control the business from China and Japan *via* the Canadian Pacific railway. Further, it is said that if the Canadian Pacific railway company are willing to accept their terms, the Norddeutscher Lloyd steamship company offer to place a line of six powerful steamers on both the Pacific and Atlantic oceans. There is no reason why the Canadians should not make their terms in any market; but we fancy that if there is "money in it," British enterprise can still hold its own with German in the matter of steamship lines. We may seem to be too selfishly jealous of foreign competition, seeing that our shipping has increased from a tonnage of 4,349,000 in 1855 to 7,430,000 in 1885. But, cheerful as these figures and others are which Professor Levi sets forth in the current *Fortnightly* to illustrate the material growth of the United Kingdom, we must remember that our population and our wants have increased also, and that if the material well-being of a nation is not waxing it is waning."

The well-known German economist, Professor Lorenz von Stein, has recently given a decided expression of opinion in the columns of the *Vossiche Zeitung*, the general organ of the railway and shipping interests of Germany, in regard to the Imperial importance of the Canadian Pacific Railway. In the course of his article Professor Stein says:

England has quietly organized a great trade route (*Welt-linie*) for herself, and has taken a significant step towards the development of the British Colonial Empire, which thus enters upon a new period of far-reaching commercial influence and power. The railway is simply the initial portion of the scheme. It cannot be self-supporting alone, neither is it expected to be. But if, starting with the railway as the basis or fundamental factor of the project, we add to it a steamship service on the Pacific Ocean from Vancouver, the result is that the distance from England to Japan, China, and partly also to the West Indies, is shorter than by any other route. According to reliable calculations, a saving of time of 10 or 12 days will be effected by the above route in going to the east coast of Asia, to Hongkong, Shanghai, Yokohama, thereby completely shutting out any competition *via* San Francisco, and, above all, *via* Panama.

The whole route, let it be observed, is from end to end in English hands, and England is no longer dependent upon the uncertain fate of the Suez canal. She holds her connection with India in her own power in spite of France and the United States. Up to now we have had only one trade route, the Suez canal. The uncertainty attached to its position from a political point of view has called into existence three further great enterprises of which the two, the great Siberian railway in Russia, and the Panama canal, at present in French hands, are not completed, while the third, the Canadian Pacific railway, of Canada, thanks to the energy of that colony, is now in operation. It is unnecessary, continues Professor Lorez von Stein, to examine further what must follow. Unquestionably a corresponding improvement in the fortification of Hong-Kong will take place. Who knows whether Port Hamilton will not again appear to have strategic value? Russia has in Vladivostock a good port, but it is closed by ice four months in the year. The Spanish Phillipine Isles will no doubt again become a subject of investigation, and Cardinal Manning will hardly be able to get the Pope appointed as arbiter in the matter. It will be considerably further to Williamsland from Berlin than from Vancouver, and there is very little prospect of Tonquin remaining for long a French military position, while it is not at all conceivable that France will at all seriously attempt to retain the New Hebrides in the face of the hatred of Australia. The routes *via* Suez Canal, Cape Horn, and the future Panama Canal, must give way and take a back seat. The Canadian Pacific railway was opened on June 20th, 1886. Starting at Montreal, it ends at Vancouver, on the Pacific Ocean. By the completion of a further line of rails *via* Newfoundland from St. John to St. George's Bay, we get a point of arrival and departure for the transatlantic shipping 1,600 kilometres nearer Europe than New York.

GENERAL BOULANGER.

It is very evident that the government of France is fearful of Boulanger, and has ordered him away from Paris on account of the regard in which he is held by the populace of that city. The great national festivals and a grand review of the troops are to take place in July, and it was doubtless feared that his presence would tempt the people into demonstrations in his favor and against Germany. As indicative of this apprehension the statement is made that the police have confiscated the entire issue of a picture representing Boulanger as the savior of France, which had been prepared for distribution during the festivals. But the fact is that the Grevy government is not half so fearful of war with Germany as it is of Boulanger himself. Grevy knows full well the fickle nature of his people and their almost fanatical admiration of military heroes, and he fears lest Boulanger may become a popular idol and seize the reins of government for himself, to the destruction and downfall of the republic. From this standpoint it would not make any special difference whether a war with Germany under Boulanger's management were successful or not. If France should triumph, Boulanger would get the glory of the victory and his power would be supreme; if the war should result in defeat for the French arms, the people would lay the whole blame on the government and imperatively demand that a man of affairs be called to the helm of the ship of state, and that man would be Boulanger. President Grevy and the administration have taken the only possible precaution against a *coup d'etat*—that of removing General Boulanger from Paris. Away from the capital his influence is diminished, and he is surrounded by a very different class of people from the mercurial Parisians. No one is more conservative or harder to stir up than the French peasant and landed proprietor. He will fight just as well as anybody when he gets started, but he is slow in making up his mind and getting into motion. Paris is the home of revolutions and with Boulanger away tranquility is practically assured. These remarks proceed upon the assumption that Boulanger himself would consent to allow his movements to be directed by the people of Paris, but there is no certainty that he would consent to any such thing. Thus far he has given no sign of any disposition or desire to overturn the republic or to assume any unwarranted authority. He could certainly have made matters very uncomfortable at the time of the recent change in the cabinet, but he did not do so. He accepted the situation like a good citizen and obeyed orders like a good soldier. While it is true that President Grevy should be better able to judge his character than any one outside of France can be, it is not impossible that he has allowed his fears to override his judgment, and that his banishment of Boulanger was entirely uncalled for and unnecessary.

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If Martin wanted a hand with his harvest Donnelly was ready to give it and ask no wages, and the kindness was returned when the potato digging came on. Their wives also lived in the greatest harmony, and they were such close neighbors that they met continually, for one roof covered the two houses.

This long cabin, or rather range of cabins, stood on the banks of Mulroy, an inlet of the Atlantic, so landlocked as to look like a lake. Behind towered gigantic heather-crowned mountains; in front lay the high road leading from the sea to Milford, the nearest market town, a winding road, hard and white from limestone, now dipping down into a valley, now mounting up a sharp hill, and always keeping close to the blue waters of Mulroy, divided from it by a shelving bank festooned with woodbine.

Mulroy was studded with many islands—islands sacred to the "wee folks;" islands in possession of the sea birds; islands where sleepy broad-browed seals basked on warm evenings.

Beyond Mulroy rose more mountains, the nearer hills cultivated to their summits, the more distant so pale and indistinct that they were like smoke-colored phantoms against the sky.

Errigal, a cone-shaped mountain, the last point of Irish earth seen by the emigrants as they sailed to America, and Muckish, the pig's back, were most prominent in the range.

The Martins and Donnellys did not know that they were looking at one of the loveliest landscapes in the world. They thought Mulroy a wild, desolate place.

Sometimes the deep silence of the place was broken by the keening of mourners or the chant of priests, and then the children in the cabins would run out to the road, and look up and down.

A long procession wound from the seacoast, and on its way to yonder burial ground beneath the chapel at the edge of the lake—a holy spot, marked by a forest of black wooden crosses. The priest walked first; then came the coffin, followed by a motley company—men in long gray stockings, knee breeches and brogues, mounted on shaggy ponies, and women seated behind them dressed in homespun and scarlet headgear.

The keening woke the mountain echoes, the fairy glen throwing back the sound to the flax mill that stood, gaunt and grim, by the roadside; then the crying and chanting died away and flocks of curlew and plover circling overhead sang a shrill requiem.

Two of the children were wont to follow the procession—Teague Martin and Mary Donnelly. They were inseparable, toddling hand in hand to school, hand in hand to chapel, playing together, herding the cows together on the knowes. They would follow the procession together as far as the flax mill, a mile from their own doors, and would stay there to play. The gossips of the country remarked the tender friendship of the children, and foretold that it would end in matrimony.

The first separation of these little friends took place when they were thirteen years old, and Teague was hired by a farmer. Mary moped and fretted when he was gone, wandering sadly to the flax mill, their old play place, and then wandering back again with her head hanging down. But she found some consolation in knitting his socks, washing his clothes, and carrying the little bundle to him on Saturday at the farmhouse.

Things did not turn out as the neighbors expected. The friends did not become lovers; they remained devoted friends, but they married strangers.

Years went by. The old Martins and Donnellys were "gathered to their fathers," and Mary and her husband, and Teague and his wife, lived on in the old cabin, "under the roof wi' other," and the good neighborhood was the same as ever. Time passed; they grew middle aged, then old; the days when they had played at the flax mill were very far away.

One day Mary was taken very ill—so ill that the priest was sent for. She received the last rites of the church and then she asked for Teague. He was at a distance—gone to Milford with cattle to sell—would not return home till late. Mary watched the door as long as her sight lasted.

"Is there no word of Teague?" was her constant question. His name was the last upon her lips.

A woeful man was Teague when he found his old friend gone. He walked beside her husband after the coffin, and saw her laid low in the churchyard mould, and then he came back to the cabins, the truest mourner she had. But work had to be done, though his heart was heavy, and the next morning he took his flax to the mill.

As he jogged along the limestone road in his cart he was suddenly aware of a figure seated behind him on the bundles of flax. How had she got there? He thrilled with terror, and it was all he could do to look round and see who was his companion. An old woman? Yes; and her red shawl, the gray hair, the features, the blue eyes, which had never lost their brightness, all reminded him of Mary. He looked closer.

It was Mary certainly, and he must conquer his fear and speak to her for the sake of their lifelong friendship. Must Mary be a restless wanderer because her old comrade failed her? No—a thousand times no! So, with a tremendous effort, he conquered his dread.

"Mary, darlin', is it you?" he faltered.

"It is, Teague, dear; it is."

"An' what is it, Mary, that's keepin' you frae your rest? Sure you had the priest, an' he gave you the viaticum."

The voice he knew so well answered in accents that pierced his heart.

"There's nae rest for me. I flew up to the gate of heaven, but I wouldna be let in, and I'm flying about the world in the cold an' the rain, or lyin' aback o' thon thorn bush. Think on me, Teague, in the night time when you ones is comfortable by the fireside, an' pity me an' help me for the sake of we'er old friendship."

"Help you!" cried the poor man; "sure I'd gie my heart's blood to help you but how is it to be done? An' why wad you not be let into heaven, a good livin' woman like you?"

"I'll tell you, Teague,' replied the specter, "That's what I'm here to tell you. It's true that I went about my duty regular, an' knelt wi' the congregation in the chapel Sunday after Sunday, an' I was respectit for a good livin' woman but in all my lifetime I never prayed. My lips would be movin, but my thoughts would be away.

"When I was a young girl I'd be thinkin' of my sweetheart or my dress or the dance at the fair; when I was a married woman I'd be frettin' about the childer, thinkin' aye o' them would fall into the fire or another would be drowned in the well while I was out, an' when I was old there was frets an' anxieties still; but, anyway, in all them years I never prayed, so I canna be let in."

"Mary, Mary, poor soul! What is it I can do for ye?"

"Listen, Teague. Go to his reverence, Father Dan, an' pay him to offer up twa masses for my sinful soul; but the money——"

"The money, Mary. It's here," touching his pocket, "aye, if it was twiste as much—it's here. But how will I know that the masses is accepted, an' that ye'll be let into heaven?"

The figure began to fade away, and the voice was fainter.

"If I am forgiven, the night after the second mass is said for me I'll come to you in the form of a white bird, an' I'll stand in the window, at the foot of your bed, an' sing you a beautiful hymn before I fly away to heaven."

The voice died away softly, and, just as they reached the flax mill the figure disappeared. Weary though Teague was that night, he went straight to the priest after supper and told him the strange tale.

Father Dan took the money and promised to say the masses, encouraging Teague to hope that all would be well with Mary.

"Come back an' tell me if she appears to you again," said he.

Some days later he had a second visit from Teague.

"Well, my good man," he began, "did you get any word from that poor soul?"

"I did, your reverence—I did."

"An' how is it wi' her now?"

"Thanks be to your reverence an' the Lord, she's got to her rest now! It was in the night time, an' I was lying on my bed wi' the blessed rosary in my hands, prayin' constant, when I heard the flutterin' o' wings at the window, an' then a beautiful hymn, like ane o' them hymns that is sung in the chapel on Easter Day, was sung, an' so I knowed Mary was going to heaven."

"Did she speak, Teague?"

"Feen a word! The hymn sounded fainter an' fainter, till it was like a wee gentle sound o' wind on the Lough, an' I was content in my mind to think that Mary was at her rest."

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The flax mill on the Mulroy road was the scene of another ghostly appearance. The reader must transport himself in imagination across the ferry opposite the mill to the farms lying beneath the hills, from whence there was a good view of Teague and Mary's house, and the wild range of mountains behind it.

Rose Dillon was the prettiest girl in the whole country, and she had many admirers among the rich farmers—any one of whom would have pleased her parents better than the suitor she chose.

James Majilton was a handsome young man, but he was not rich—he had only the flax mill and a poor small farm and three cows. How vexatious it was that Rose should set her affections upon him, when she could have been mistress of a slated house and 14 cows.

Father Dan was entreated to use his influence, and he did say a word or two, representing the worldly advantages of Mike and Sam, Teddy and John. But it was all to no purpose. Rose blushed and persisted in clinging to James.

"Put your commands on her, your reverence; she willna go against the church," her father said.

"No, no; that is not to be done," replied the priest. "James is a good boy, he pays his dues regular, an' is diligent at his duty, an' obedient to his church. He deserves a good wife. Let Rose have him."

After that opposition ceased, of course, and a day was fixed for the wedding. Plenty of corned beef and cabbage, bacon and eggs, tea and whisky were provided; two fiddlers were engaged; the neighbors were invited to the feast; and all was going merry as a marriage bell, when James was taken suddenly ill. The priest was sent for, and then a messenger went across the ferry to summon Rose.

Alas! there was no time to say farewell. James was unconscious when Rose reached his bedside. To describe her wild grief would be impossible. Hanging over the corpse, she let her tears rain upon his placid face, unheeding the grave reproofs of the women.

"Why do you be cryin' that way, Rose Dillon? Sure you know that your lamentin' will keep him frae his rest."

They alluded to the belief that the inordinate grief of survivors troubles the departed soul, and weighs it down so that it is unable to soar toward heaven.

"Wad ye keep the poor fellow flyin' about the world?" asked her grandmother, who had been brought across the ferry to attend the wake. "Sure, sure ye wouldna be that cruel to the poor boy that loved ye true? Lay back thon sheet, girl, an' drop nae mair tears over him. I ha' knowed it done."

And then followed a long list of examples, the experience of close upon 90 years.

The "wake house," as the mill was called, while James lay there holding his last party, was quite full, and men and women listened to Grannie Dillon respectfully, shaking their heads gravely and uttering many an "Och, hock! and Alaise-a-me!" the while.

There was good cheer at this last entertainment of James's—his cousins had seen to that. Tea and bread and butter and whisky were provided in abundance, and there were plates of cut tobacco, bundles of clean pipes, and supplies of snuff for all comers.

The visitors went one by one over to the bed, and, turning down the sheet, took a last look at the corpse.

James was laid to rest in the chapel graveyard at the edge of Mulroy, and the plover and curlew circled over his head, and the work of the world went on as before.

It happened that Rose's father followed her down to the ferry one evening and found her gazing at the flax mill so fixedly that she did not hear his footsteps.

"What is it you see there, girl?" he asked.

"Oh, father, do you no see?"

"Naething ava, Rose."

"It is James that's standin' yonder on the shore lookin' over at me, an' whiles he lifts his hand an' waves to me. He's there every evenin' an' I still come here to meet him. It's the only tryst we can hold now."

She faded away from that time; and although James visited the mill no more, it was believed he was beckoning to her.

A year had not passed before the crones, meeting one another, said:

"Do you know that I'm just done hearing? Rose Dillon's got to her rest!"

It was true. The chapel bell was knelling for her; she was gone to meet James upon the further shore.

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MUNICIPAL BY-LAWS.

NO. 148.

A BYLAW

Respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the Year 1887.

(Passed 29th June, 1887.)

Be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. The Assessment Roll of the said City for the year 1887 shall be returned by the Assessor to the Clerk of the Municipal Council on the fifteenth day of July, 1887.

2. All persons complaining of their respective assessments on the said Roll shall, within one month after the time hereinbefore fixed for returning the said Roll, give notice thereof in writing to the Clerk of the Municipal Council, specifying in such notice the grounds of their respective complaints.

3. All complaints of which due notice shall have been given under the last preceding section shall be heard at the City Hall, Victoria, on the 17th day of August, 1887, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as they can be heard. jul1

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NOTE—THE WIELAND BEER. je15-1m

TENDERS.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

WHOLE AND SEPARATE TENDERS ARE invited for the erection and completion of a Hotel at Wellington, up to 12 noon Monday July 11th. The right to reject any and all tenders is reserved.
S. C. BURRIS, Architect,
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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until Thursday, 4 p.m., July 7th, for the erection of an additional story on brick building in Yates Street. Plans and specifications can be seen at his office.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. EDW. MALLANDAINE.
Government Street, June 29th, 1887. je30

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS, properly endorsed, will be received by the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Tuesday, 5th July, for the continuation of a plank side walk on the Esquimalt road.
Specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. W. S. GORE,
Surveyor General.
Land and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B. C., 24th June, 1887. je25

Notice to Road Contractors.

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS WILL BE received by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Saturday, 9th July, for works and repairs required to be done upon the following roads, viz: Cedar Hill, Cordova Bay, Hillside Avenue and Burnside road.
Specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned.
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Surveyor General.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B. C., 25th June, 1887. je26-dw

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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between the undersigned as Real Estate Agents, under the firm name of Croasdaile & Jones, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.
HENRY E. CROASDAILE.
A. W. JONES.
Victoria, B. C., 30th June, 1887. jul1-1m

British Columbia Milling and Mining Co.

(LIMITED.)

ASSESSMENT NO. 14.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Assessment of two (2) cents per share has been levied upon the members of the above Company, payable at the Company's office, in Victoria, B. C., on or before the 16th day of July, 1887, from and after which date all Shares on which the said call shall then remain unpaid, shall be deemed delinquent, subject to interest and costs, and will be dealt with according to law.
By order of the Board.
GEO. A. SARGISON,
Secretary.
Dated the 16th June, 1887. je25-dw

NOTICE.

JUNG JEE HAVING LEFT THE FIRM OF Tai Fung & Co. about three months ago, the business of Tai Fung & Co. will be carried on by Lew Chuck. All the debts of the firm will be paid by the undersigned, and the business will in future be carried on by Lew Chuck, manager.
TAI FUNG & CO.
Victoria, 3rd June, 1887. jun4-1m

SCAVENGERS.

JULIUS WEST,

General Scavenger.

ORDERS MAY BE LEFT AT PORTER'S Market, Douglas St., cor. of Johnson.
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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

NOTICE.

SITTINGS OF THE COUNTY COURT OF Cariboo will be held—
At Clinton, Friday, 13th May, 1887.
At Lillooet, Wednesday, 18th May, 1887.
At 150 Mile House, Tuesday, 28th June, 1887.
At Soda Creek, Thursday, 30th June, 1887.
At Quesnellemouth, Monday, 4th July, 1887.
At Richfield, Saturday, 9th July, 1887.
By Command,
JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
20th April, 1887. apr22-td

NOTICE.

EDUCATION BRANCH,
OF PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.
Victoria, May 25th, 1887.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Annual Examination of Candidates for Certificates of Qualification to teach in the Public Schools of the Province will be held in the Agricultural Hall, Victoria, commencing on Monday, July 4th, at 10 a. m.
Intending candidates are required to notify this Department and furnish testimonials prior to June 24th.
Applicants for Renewal of Certificates are hereby notified to comply with the requirements of sub-section 8 of section 41 of the "Public School Act, 1885."
S. D. POPE,
my27-1m Superintendent of Education.

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Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1887.

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Clinton.....Monday.....13th June.

FALL ASSIZES.

[On Mainland.]

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Victoria.....Monday.....28th November.
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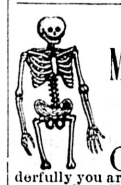

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PASSENGERS.

Per Str NORTH PACIFIC from Puget Sound—Geo V Heathcote, Geo Watson, J L Leavy, Mrs Leavy and chd, A J Pratt, Miss Shultz, C McEvans, G J Gerris, M Collins, W Pentutre, Campion.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

DRIARD—Gov Stoneman and wife, California; Miss L L Patton, Virginia; G Corse, Washington; Captain Hutchinson, England, S Stryker, Philadelphia; F English, C Slater, London, England; A Brittain and wife, California; B Hayden and wife, New York; D Turnbull, M Pugh, Washington Territory; F Dimirth, Seattle; Captain Warner, England.

AT THE CLARENCE—A Haslam, Nanaimo; T E Shaw, Quebec; J McIntosh, Wm Ker, Andrew Davis, Toronto; George Russell Reed, J L Ledgara, J P Davenport, Capt B Greensfelder, S M Scott, D Hirschpila, San Francisco; C Puddefoot, George Boole, W T Davis, Oakland, Cal; W E Price, Chicago; Prof John Maconn, Goldstream; S Gray, Chemanius.

MARRIED.

CARMICHAEL-KEMP—At Hamilton, Ontario, on Thursday, June 23rd, at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. C. H. Sutherland, Main street west, by the Rev. R. J. Laidlaw, Mr. Archibald Carmichael, of Victoria, B. C., to Miss M. L. G. Kemp, youngest daughter of the late Rev. Alex. F. Kemp, LL. D.

DEATHS.

ANDREWS—In this city on the 4th instant Mary Ann, the beloved wife of Richard B. Andrews, a native of Devonshire, England, aged 59 years. The funeral will take place to-morrow (Wednesday) at 2:30 o'clock p. m. from the family residence, Yates street.

BOYS' STRONG Tweed pants 50c per pair, or made to order same price, at the English House, Fort street. *

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CALL AT Brown & White's (next to Waitt's book store) for bargains in Dry Goods up to July 15th, when the store will be closed. †

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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

M. P. P. Dead.

Mr. L. S. A. Charlebois, M.P.P. for La Prairie, has died suddenly of inflammation of the lungs.

Jubilee Souvenirs.

Those who desire to secure a souvenir of the Jubilee should call immediately at THE COLONIST office for one of the Jubilee programmes printed on satin. Only a few remain. Price 50 cents.

Gaol Supplies.

Following are the successful tenderers for provincial gaol supplies: Groceries, H. Saunders; meat and vegetables, J. Parker; bread, —Jordan; coal, Walker & Walker; clothing, D. Green.

The Fourth of July.

A display of loyalty was noticed in the city yesterday among American residents, who threw to the breeze the stars and stripes in conjunction with the Union Jack, showing the friendly status of the two great nations.

First Shipment.

The Canadian Pacific has a consignment of flour and leather from San Francisco to be shipped to Hong Kong by the Parthia. The agent there says it is the initial shipment from that city, but he expects it will be followed up by a number of others.

Sentenced.

George H. Miller, the murderer of James Manning Colman on Lake Washington, W.T., has been sentenced to hanging, on Sept. 23rd next. When asked if he had anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced upon him, he replied: "I don't know anything about it."

Runaway Marines.

Port Angeles *Commonwealth:* Two runaway British soldiers landed last Friday at the mouth of the Elwha, and left a large ships's boat. It was picked up by "Cultus John" and "Moses," Indians of Elwha, and turned over to custom officer Croak, who has reported the matter to the custom authorities.

Protestant Orphans' Home.

The donations for June were as follows: Mr. Rodgers, milk; Mrs. Isaac Oppenheimer, Mrs. W. Pollard, Mrs. Perrin, Mrs. Carmichael, Mrs. A. A. Green, Mrs. J. H. Carmichael, clothing; Mrs. J. W. Williams, forms for school-room; Mr. Ahdean, annual treat for the children.

For Portland.

The steamer Sardonyx arrived at the outer wharf from Vancouver last night at 10 o'clock and left immediately for Portland with ten or twenty passengers from the Parthia. No freight was taken from the latter vessel although she has 300 tons for Portland, is being deemed advisable for the Sardonyx to load 300 tons of flour at that port in order to allow the Parthia to get away in time.

Found Dead in Bed.

About 4 o'clock yesterday morning the wife of Richard Andrews was found dead in bed at her late residence on Yates street. During the night she complained of not feeling well, but nothing serious was thought to be the matter. When Mr. Andrews awoke he found the dead body of his wife beside him in the bed. The deceased was 59 years of age and leaves a grown up family. An inquest will be held on the body by Coroner Jackson at 11 o'clock this morning.

The Parthia.

The steamship Parthia arrived on Sunday and anchored in Royal Roads, 13½ days from Yokohama. The cargo consists principally of tea, as follows: 140,000 pounds for Portland, 120,000 pounds for San Francisco, 1,225,000 pounds for New York and eastern cities, also considerable freight for Victoria. She brought 30 first class passengers and 80 in the steerage. The Parthia appears to be superior to the Abyssinia and is no doubt designed to become the favorite steamship on the line. She sails for China about the 11th inst.

Police Court.

Edward Eustice, drunk, fined $5.

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Jim, an Indian, in possession of an intoxicant, fined $25 or one month at hard labor.

A Narrow Escape.

Vancouver *News:* As the work train in charge of Foreman Cole, drawn by engine No. 132, Scott, engineer, was going along the line on the other side of rancherie, a man was observed lying on the track with his head on the rails. There is a curve in the road at this place and, consequently, the man was not observed till the train was within fifty yards of him. The engineer called for brakes as soon as he observed him, repeating the call eight times, reversed his engine, and sanded the track, finally succeeded in stopping the engine within about six feet of the man. He was found to be dead drunk.

Promotion.

The announcement of Mr. H. B. W. Aikman's appointment as a member of the Dominion Land Board at Winnipeg, has given general satisfaction and that gentleman's many friends are congratulating him. Mr. Aikman has been a resident of this province since 1882, and for a time was a member of the legal firm of Drake, Jackson & Aikman. He was appointed registrar general for the province, which position he creditably held for many years. Being tendered the office of Dominion land agent he accepted, and has held the same for over three years. When the offices were removed to New Westminster he repaired thither with his family, much to the regret of their friends. The appointment is a deserved one and Mr. Aikman has our sincere congratulations.

Guy, Bevan & Co.

The Canadian *Gazette* says: A first meeting was held under this failure. The debtors were timber merchants, trading in London as George Guy & Co., and in Canada as Guy, Bevan & Co. The accounts, which relate practically to the London firm only, return liabilities amounting to £179,286, of which £105,229 are expected to rank, with assets £25,323. The statement is also made out on the supposition that George Guy & Co. and Stewart Brothers were independent firms, it being alleged, however, that from February 1, 1882, the business of George Guy & Co. and Guy, Bevan & Co. was the property of Stewart Brothers. The debtors state that they entered into parsnership in February, 1873, Bevan bringing in £20,000, and Guy's capital then standing at £30,000. The debtors have already been adjudicated, and the proceedings resulted in the appointment of Mr. C. F. Kemp, chartered accountant, as trustee of the estate, with a committee of inspection.

American Defaulters.

There was a time in Montreal when American defaulters were received with open arms, provided their "boodle" was sufficiently extensive. However, that day is past, and they are refugees and scouted by all honest Canadians. Victoria is a little behind and several defaulters in this city are going into good society, especially one who is particularly wanted in Oakland, Cal., who, aside from the fact of his shortcoming (with his accounts) is quite a ladies' man and withal a pleasant fellow. Still it would surprise some of the fair sex to know that it only required a trip to Uncle Sam's domain to have their fascinating escort placed behind the bars.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The annual examination of candidates for certificates of qualification to teach in the public schools commenced yesterday.

Yesterday was another bonanza for the hackmen,

News from the North gives encouraging reports for a good catch by the various sealing schooners.

The unusual flood of holidays has now subsided and business will again proceed uninterrupted.

Ex-Governor Stoneman, of California, is not looking as well as usual, and thinks his present trip to Alaska will restore his health.

After several attempts to establish a variety theatre permanently in this city, the scheme is pronounced impracticable. The Club Theatre failed to give a performance on Saturday night.

The next theatrical attraction at The Victoria is "The Corner Grocery."

Theatrical managers say that Victoria is not a city for great stars, but does well enough for something light.

The Ancon carried a large compliment of passengers to Alaska yesterday.

It is understood that a proposition is about to be made by an American sea captain to purchase the Otter, now lying in the harbor.

The Salvation Army representatives had large congregations both morning and evening on Sunday. It is estimated that they collected $50 during the day. Their meetings seem to be profitable in more ways than one.

The Amity base ball club of this city will play the Portland nine on Wednesday at Beacon Hill.

Government House—Mr. Nightingale has been appointed gardener at the Government House.

PERSONAL.

E. C. Baker, M. P., arrived from Ottawa last night.

John Grant, M. P. P., has gone to the interior on a business trip.

Capt. Gordon of the Hamilton Powder Works went to Vancouver this morning.

H. C. Beeton, Agent-General for British Columbia at London, is in the city and will remain several months.

Hon. G. F. Vernon, Mayor Fell of Victoria, and Mayor McLean of Vancouver, were guests of the officers of H. M. S. Caroline, and reached Tacoma early yesterday morning on that vessel.

The Charlottetown *Patriot* of the 23rd ult., announces the presence in that city of Mr. A. L. McLellan on an extended visit to his friends and relatives. He was formerly a resident of Summerside.

Rev. P. McFarland McLeod, of Toronto, who has been visiting in San Francisco, arrived on the Mexico. He has consented to give one of his celebrated lectures in connection with the Pandora street Presbyterian church next week. Subject: "That Young Man."

Hon. James A. Grahame, whose return with his family was briefly noted on Sunday last, will remain during the summer with his old friends and may possibly carry out a long-cherished intention of permanently residing here. Mr. Grahame was governor of the Hudson Bay Company's territory with headquarters at Winnipeg, retiring several years ago.

MARINE.

Br ship Torridon sailed from San Francisco June 30th for this port.

Br bark W. H. Watson from Victoria, arrived at Queenstown June 29th.

Steamer Ancon arrived at the outer wharf yesterday morning from Portland.

Steamer Port Agusta cleared from Hongkong on the 18th June for this port.

Ship Earl Derby is waiting at Hastings for a tow. The Pilot will probably take her to sea to-day.

Bark Pacific Slope has completed her cargo of lumber at Moodyville and will be towed to sea shortly.

Steamship Parthia arrived in Royal Roads at 3 o'clock p.m., Sunday, and after taking on a Burrard Inlet pilot passed on to Vancouver.

Tug Pilot left for the Inlet yesterday at 12 o'clock to tow the bark Robert Ker to Departure Bay where she will load coal to be shipped on the Parthia.

Steamship Mexico arrived from San Francisco yesterday afternoon with 40 passengers and 315 tons of freight for Victoria and 232 for Vancouver.

CANADA'S "UNFAIR TREATMENT."

TO THE EDITOR:—While on some points I am in accord with your article of Thursday morning, I do not fall in with your idea that British Columbia has been "scurvily treated" in the matter of Victoria harbor improvement by the Dominion government. Neither do I accept "J. S. H.'s" advice to cease clamoring for government aid in all other matters save that of the Northern railway.

Mr. Shakespeare's explanation with regard to the harbor is entirely satisfactory. He and Mr. Baker applied for $100,000 to be expended in making our harbor navigable for large vessels; and Sir Hector Langevin most properly decided that before taking in hand a work so costly to send out his engineer to report on the nature of the job and its probable cost.

Is there anything unreasonable in that proposition? If you, Mr. Editor, were about to erect a new office, what would be, as a reasonable and cautious man, your first action? You would have a site surveyed, plans prepared, and an estimate of cost made as preliminary steps towards construction. Si Hector has taken the same precaution and as the result it is more than likely that a much larger sum than $100,000 will be voted for harbor improvement.

"J.S.H." has written well and sensibly on the Northern railway, but he is not sensible when he advises us to relax efforts in every other direction and concentrate all our energies on his laudable pet scheme. If the Northern railway is to be an important factor in our future prosperity, must it not have all the harbor room that can be provided for the accommodation of the shipping that will be attracted to its southern terminus and should not that terminus be protected by fortifications?

The one answer to all these queries is, yes. I trust that agitation for more of the many meritorious projects (including the Northern railway) will not be relaxed by the public and the press. H.

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ROCK CREEK QUARTZ.

A Large Ledge of Free Mining Ore Located.

Late arrivals from Rock Creek bring with them very rich samples of quartz. It is spotted all through with gold and must run into many thousands of dollars to the ton. The discovery was made by four men, Rice, Burnham, Lefevre and another, who prospected through the Colville country in Washington and camped on this ledge, the snow being on the ground at the time. One of them casually knocked a piece of rock off and found free gold in it. Several other pieces were taken off, all filled with the yellow metal. The party went back to Spokane Falls for supplies and returned with a $2,000 prospecting outfit. Work on the ledge has developed the fact that it is of wonderful richness. At the blowout it is about one hundred feet in width, but the ledge proper is about six feet. A large quantity of rock has been blasted out, and there is no piece picked up out of the heap but what contains free gold, some nuggets of considerable size. There have been several locations taken up, two of which are being prospected. The find is looked upon as being the richest ever made in gold quartz in this country. The ledge is situated about seven miles from Rock creek crossing, at an altitude of between four and five thousand feet in the gold range of mountains.

Quite a number of men have gone in to the section to prospect, and also to work on Rock creek placer ground. Two claims on this creek are paying an ounce per day to the man, while others are looking well. It will be remembered that this section was mined in 1861, when the Cariboo excitement caused its desertion to the Chinese. However, the latter have not got it all yet, and good claims are to be had on the creek, while pay has been struck in the benches. While it would be premature to give an opinion on the possibilities of the district until further information is secured, yet there is evidence to show that the discovery is *bona fide*, and an enterprising trader has already arranged for a stock of supplies to go in to the camp from this city *via* the Northern Pacific.

SKIPPED OVER THE LINE.

Departure of F. Davis, Proprieter of the Belvidere Restaurant.

The proprietor of the Belvidere restaurant has been missing for several days, and was last seen in Seattle on Saturday. He leaves several creditors, among them a partner in another restaurant, who mourn his untimely departure. Recently he moved his restaurant to the upper floor of Moody's building on Yates street, and fixed it up in first-class style, obtaining the furniture from Jacob Sehl on time and several articles from other merchants. It was known among his acquaintances that Davis quietly sold his trotting horse and converted all the property he could into cash. His liabilities will amount to nearly $2000. Yesterday morning at an early hour Mr. Sehl removed all his furniture from the restaurant upon which he held a bill of sale. The landlord was wrathful at this procedure as he claims that his rent should have been paid before the furniture could be removed. A wordy encounter took place over this point and considerable excitement was created but the furniture was secured by Mr. Sehl. It is reported that Davis had about $1000 on his person when he left though nothing certain is known.

CATERING TO JOHN BULL.

Cleveland's Action in the Case of the Seal Fisheries.

The administration has settled the Alaska seal fisheries question to it own satisfaction by conceding everything the British government demanded, and is now showing a mild surprise that there should be any growling by citizens of the United States. The reports from British Columbia are that a large fleet of English vessels is *en route* to Alaskan waters, and, as the result of Secretary Bayard's diplomacy, they will be able to do immense damage to the seal fisheries. But, while the administration thus concedes that Behring sea is not a land-locked sea for England, its position closes the sea to the people of the United States, except the Alaskan Commercial Company. It is a curious chapter, but the Englishmen have no reason to be displeased with it. In the course taken by the president it looks as though both the law of congress and the treaty had been ignored, for neither was intended to give foreign vessels privileges denied to those of the United States. The law of 1868 provides that the laws of the United States relating to customs, commerce and navigation be extended over the Alaskan purchase as far as they might be applicable thereto. In 1870 an act was wassed to prevent the extermination of fur-bearing animals in Alaska. It is said that Attorney-General Garland on two separate occasions gave opinions that the president had no power whatever to order the release of the captured British sealers, and it is not presumed that congress in passing laws recognizes the right of the president to set them aside. This is precisely what Mr. Cleveland has done in the Alaskan seal-fisheries case.—*Washington Dispatch, June 13th.*

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THE OKANAGON COUNTRY.

A Country of Wonderful Resources—The Salmon River Mines Equal Expectations—A Region Absolutely Cut Off from Transportation.

Oregonian: Messrs. J. L. Atkinson and Seth L. Pope, of this city, have just returned from a trip of three weeks to the Salmon River mines in the Okanagon country. They went from here to Ellensburg, thence to Rock Island rapids, thence north inside the Big Bend to the Foster creek rapids, thence north through the Okanagon valley to Salmon river. Going and returning by nearly the same route, they got a very close and familiar view of the country and have come home greatly impressed with its value as a field for stock raising and general agriculture, and as a business district.

The promise of the mines is fully equal to the reports haretofore given to the public. They are of silver and lead, which seems to be stored in exhaustible quantities. Openings have been made for seven miles on one continuous vein. Very little development work has been done as yet, but all that has been done confirms expectations, and not a doubt is entertained of the wealth of the district. The mines are situated most fortunately adjacent to timber and water and in close proximity to steamboat navigation.

While Messrs. Atkinson and Pope found all and more than they expected in the mines, they were chiefly interested in the country as to its possibilities for general improvement. They saw enough of the Big Bend in a ride of ninety miles through it to confirm the favorable reports of recent visitors. It is a heavy rolling country with an average elevation of about 2200 feet. The native richness of the soil is shown by the luxuriant growth of bunch grass which abounds everywhere. There is little timber and the country is not very well watered as a whole. It is rapidly settling up with an industrious population, and very large areas are being brought under the plow. Crops looked well everywhere.

It was, however, the country west of and outside of the Big Bend that came especially under the notice of Messrs. Atkinson and Pope. Where they expected to see a broken wilderness they found a region as beautiful and fertile as the Willamette valley, the seat of prosperous settlement and established thrift. In describing the Okanagon valley, and the smaller valleys which lie south of it and directly west of the Big Bend, they are enthusiastic. In their judgment it has no match in the Pacific Northwest for beauty of aspect and wealth of soil and productions. They think that the settlement, already large, is destined to grow into a great and rich population.

The lack of transportation is the only drawback to this wonderful country. At the present time it is labor wasted to produce anything (excepting of course the local consumption) which cannot walk out of market. Enterprise and industry is paralyzed by an isolation which, in these later days finds no counterpart in the Northwest. Merchandise is now hauled in wagons from Ellensburg, for the first stage of thirty-two miles (from Ellensburg to the Columbia river crossing near Rock Island rapids,) over a high range of mountains, the road in some places reaching an altitude of 5,200 feet. A scheme is on foot at Tacoma to put a boat on the river above the rapids, which is clear and easily navigable to the mouth of the Okanagon. This latter stream is also navigable for a distance of thirty miles above its mouth, and during a considerable time each year to the British Columbia line. A steamboat is now being built at Tacoma in sections, which is to be taken on the cars to Ellensburg, and from there hauled over the river.

The natural connection of this region is with Portland, and Messrs. Atkinson and Pope are eager that the Oregon Railway & Navigation company should be the first in the field, and that they should bring the trade this way. They believe that the first step should be to put a boat on the river above the Rock island rapids. This, which is impossible during low water, they think would be entirely practicable now while the water is high. Mr. Pope, who is a practical navigator, says it would be a very easy matter to take one of the idle boats of the old Snake river fleet over the Priest and Rock island rapids. A little later on this will be impracticable, and if the thing is not done within the next ten or fifteen days the chance will be lost for this year.

The business on the upper river is likely to be very large during the summer and fall and next spring. Besides the regular business of the country there will be the traffic of the Salmon river mines, certain to be great.

Mr. Pope carried instruments with him and made interesting and valuable observations of elevation at various points. He found Ainsworth to be 340 feet above the sea level; Rock island, 480 feet; the Okanagan valley 550 feet, and the Salmon river country 625 feet. These figures are surprising, and will correct the very general impression regarding the northern regions.

THE OKANAGON MINES.

Spokane Falls *Chronicle:* Many of our citizens interested in the mines of the Okanagon section and especially the editors of the *Chronicle* have looked forward to the opinion of Mr. Thomas Lowthain concerning that section, with considerable interest. In a conversation with that gentleman this morning he expressed himself as being much surprised at finding the ore and the promising prospects that he did find in this region. He pronounces that region the most promising he has visited in the west and our readers are all aware that Mr. Lowthain is a man of close research and a miner of wide repute. He considers the Arlington mine the best property in the entire northwest and the La Euna and First Thought are peer to any properties heretofore developed in any of the sections contiguous to Spokane. The ore being extracted from the Arlington will average about 200 ounces per ton while a major portion of the rock taken from the other two named will run away up in the hundreds and some in the thousands. He says no one can comprehend the full resources of that region until they have visited it and justly compared it with other sections and localities. The climate, he tells us, is fine, the altitude of these mines not exceeding 1,500 feet. All kinds of fruit can be grown and there are some thrifty ranches in this section. All kinds of small fruit, peaches and apples can be easily grown on the summit of these celebrated bonanzas. Mr. Lowthain predicts a grand country and the greatest ore producing mines in the Okanagon section that has yet been known in the northwest, and adds that too much cannot be said of the outcome and the fine prospects of this region.

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